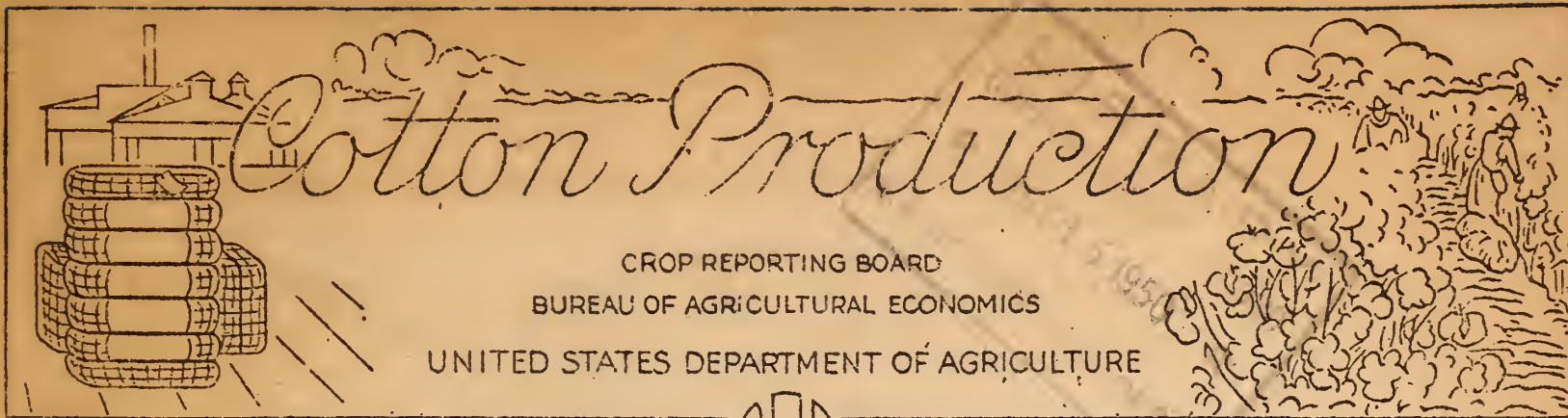


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COTTON AND COTTONSEED - 1949 CROP WITH COMPARISONS (Also 1945-48 revisions)

The 1949 cotton crop of 16,127,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight reported by the Crop Reporting Board of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics was the largest crop produced since 1937, and the fourth largest crop on record. The crop was 8 percent above the 1948 production of 14,877,000 bales, and 43 percent more than the ten-year average of 11,306,000 bales. Production by States is based on Bureau of the Census final ginnings, with allowances made for interstate movement of seed cotton.

In Texas, weather was exceptionally favorable in all areas of the State, and production set a record of 6,040,000 bales — 37.5 percent of the Nation's cotton crop. Record crops of cotton were also harvested in Arizona, California, and New Mexico. Production in these three States accounted for about 13 percent of the United States crop, compared with the 10-year average of 6.5 percent. In most central and eastern cotton States, production was less than in 1948 and below average in many of these areas.

The 1949 lint yield per acre of 283.9 pounds was 27.3 pounds below the 1948 record yield of 311.2 pounds, but 30 pounds above the 10-year average. In Arkansas, New Mexico, and all States east of the Mississippi River, the yield was considerably below that of 1948 and also below the 10-year average. In Louisiana, the yield was lower than in 1948 but was above average. A record yield was harvested in Arizona. In Texas and Oklahoma, the lint yield was the highest since 1894 and 1904, respectively.

Estimated acreage in cultivation July 1, 1949 amounted to 27,719,000 acres. This is about 19 percent above the 23,264,000 acres in 1948, 26 percent more than the 1938-47 average, and the highest acreage since 1937. Abandonment was about average at 1.8 percent, leaving 27,230,000 acres harvested, compared with 22,921,000 acres harvested in 1948.

Cotton acreage in 1949 was higher than 1948 in every State. For Arizona, California, and New Mexico the 1949 acreage in cultivation July 1 set all-time high records, with increases over the previous season of 42 percent, 19 percent, and 50 percent, respectively. In other States, increases over 1948 were: Texas, 25 percent; South Carolina, 14 percent; Louisiana, 13 percent; and North Carolina, 14 percent.

Production of cottonseed from the 1949 crop was estimated at 6,613,000 tons, 11 percent more than the 5,945,000 tons separated from the lint in 1948 and 43 percent greater than the 10-year average of 4,631,000 tons. Receipts of seed at oil mills through March 31, 1950, as reported by the Bureau of the Census, with an allowance for receipts during the remainder of the season, indicate that about 5,984,000 tons, or 90.5 percent of 1949 production, will be delivered to oil mills for crushing.

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For 1948 the Bureau of the Census reported 5,382,000 tons, 90.5 percent of the crop was delivered to oil mills.

The value of the 1949 crop of cotton lint is computed at \$2,262,779,000 based on the average price to May 1, 1950. This is only slightly higher than last year's value of \$2,260,089,000. The value of cottonseed ginned from the 1949 crop is \$286,965,000, down 28 percent from a year ago. With a sharp decline in the value of cottonseed, the combined value of lint and seed was \$2,549,744,000, about 4 percent below the total value of the 1948 crop.

The average price received by farmers for lint cotton during the period August 1, 1949 to May 1, 1950 was 28.1 cents per pound, compared with the 1948 season average price of 30.38 cents. Unredeemed loan cotton on May 1, 1950, and cotton remaining to be sold by farmers after that date, is valued at the season average price of cotton to May 1. Through April 27, 1950, loans had been obtained on 3,179,120 bales of the 1949 crop of which 1,061,638 bales had been redeemed. The season average price of cottonseed is indicated at \$43.40 per ton. This is \$23.80 below the 1948 average price of \$67.20 and \$42.50 less than the 1947 record average price of \$85.90 per ton.

In most States, the 1949 crop got off to an early start in the spring. In the Delta section of Mississippi and Louisiana, however, prolonged and heavy rains at planting time were followed by a period of drought that interfered with germination. This caused great irregularity of crop advancement throughout the season in this Delta area.

Weevil emergence in the spring was unusually high, and frequent rains over southeastern and southcentral States during much of the growing season reduced efficacy of poisoning operations, resulting in relatively heavy weevil damage throughout this area. According to reports from crop reporters, the reduction from a full yield of cotton because of weevil damage was 17.5 percent compared with 5.0 percent in 1948. The crop was harvested under generally favorable conditions.

Production of American-Egyptian cotton in 1949 totaled 4,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight compared with 3,600 bales in 1948.

1945-48 Revisions

Revised estimates of cotton acreage, production, and value of the years 1945 to 1948 inclusive, are shown on pages 8 to 11 of this report. The official cotton estimates of acreage, yield, and production were revised in the light of all available data including that collected by the Production and Marketing Administration in connection with the cotton adjustment program. Minor revisions were made in some States. In connection with this review, additional ginnings for the years 1947 and 1948 not previously reported to the Bureau of the Census, were found in Georgia and Texas. Revisions in acreages and production in these two States were made accordingly.

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COTTON ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION, 1948 AND 1949

The Crop Reporting Board of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics makes the following estimates of the COTTON CROPS of 1948 and 1949 based on Census ginnings and data furnished by crop correspondents, field statisticians, and cooperating State agencies.

STATE	ACREAGE IN				LINT		PRODUCTION		GINNINGS	
	CULTIVATION		ACREAGE		YIELD PER		1/		1949 CROP	
	JULY 1		HARVESTED		HARVESTED		(500 lb. gross:		AS	
					ACRE		wt. bales)		ENUMERATED	
	1948	1949	1948	1949	1948	1949	1948	1949	BY CENSUS	
	Thousand acres				Pounds		Thous. bales		Bales (500 lb. gross)	
Missouri....	563	604	555	583	436	378	506	462	457,139	
Virginia....	26	33	26	32	447	305	24	20	17,637	
N. Carolina..	2/ 742	869	2/ 737	860	2/ 440	259	678	465	469,470	
S. Carolina..	1,123	1,283	1,120	1,270	372	209	871	554	553,653	
Georgia.....	1,295	1,618	1,289	1,600	279	181	751	604	604,848	
Florida.....	30	51	29	50	249	153	15	16	8,943	
Tennessee...	773	345	770	830	417	365	669	633	632,548	
Alabama.....	1,637	1,825	1,630	1,810	353	226	1,197	852	858,812	
Mississippi..	2,583	2,859	2,560	2,730	441	261	2,353	1,487	1,484,272	
Arkansas....	2/ 2,335	2,616	2/ 2,305	2,530	2/ 412	309	1,982	1,632	1,639,965	
Louisiana...	957	1,077	950	1,050	382	298	756	650	652,119	
Oklahoma....	1,069	1,344	1,025	1,300	175	225	374	610	600,599	
Texas.....	2/ 8,806	10,988	2/ 8,613	10,900	176	266	3,153	6,040	6,058,177	
New Mexico..	215	323	209	309	542	428	236	276	264,959	
Arizona.....	282	401	281	400	558	649	328	543	544,281	
California..	810	963	804	957	576	634	968	1,268	1,268,541	
Other States ^{3/}	18	20	18	19	435	363	16	15	11,120	
United States	2/ 23,264	27,719	2/ 22,921	27,230	2/ 311.2	283.9	14,877	16,127	16,127,083	
Amer. Egypt. ^{4/}	4.0	5.6	4.0	5.6	454	346	3.6	4.0	4,022	

1/ Bales rounded to thousands, allowances made for interstate movement of seed cotton for ginning and added for U.S. total. 2/ Revised.

3/ Illinois, Kansas, Kentucky, and Nevada.

4/ Included in State and United States totals. Grown principally in Arizona, New Mexico, and Texas.

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VALUE OF COTTON AND COTTONSEED PRODUCTION 1948 AND 1949 1/ CROPS

State	Season average		Value of production			
	price per lb.					
	received by farm-		Cotton		Cotton and Cottonseed	
	ers for cotton 2/					
	1948	1949 3/	1948	1949	1948	1949
	Cents		Thousand dollars			
Mo.	29.09	28.4	73,562	65,566	87,045	73,666
Va.	30.68	28.8	3,712	2,925	4,299	3,310
N.C.	30.68	28.9	103,951	67,244	120,956	75,538
S.C.	30.48	29.1	132,677	80,613	154,971	90,562
Ga.	31.10	28.9	116,828	87,275	136,978	98,313
Fla.	30.55	29.4	2,303	2,339	2,704	2,661
Tenn.	30.01	29.1	100,414	92,035	116,938	103,154
Ala.	30.86	29.6	184,769	126,045	213,284	140,892
Miss.	31.08	29.7	365,627	220,760	428,008	248,055
Ark.	29.85	28.0	295,796	228,544	345,238	257,054
La.	31.24	29.1	118,013	94,645	138,156	105,759
Okla.	28.59	26.4	53,532	80,460	64,308	90,890
Tex.	29.60	27.0	466,697	815,322	560,860	923,450
N.Mex.	32.21	29.1	38,048	40,139	44,698	44,793
Ariz.	30.61	28.0	50,151	76,032	59,467	85,976
Calif.	31.35	28.5	151,683	180,721	179,206	203,307
Other States 4/	29.16	28.5	2,326	2,114	2,728	2,364
U.S.	30.38	28.1	2,260,089	2,262,779	2,659,844	2,549,744

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Allowance made for total quantity of cotton placed under loan at average loan rate by States. 3/ Season average price to May 1, 1950. 4/ Illinois, Kansas, Kentucky and Nevada. The crop marketing year is from August 1 to July 31.

COTTONSEED: PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1948 AND 1949 1/ CROPS

State	Season av. price:		Value			
	Production		per ton received:		Sales to	
			by farmers		oil mills 2/	
	1948	1949	1948	1949	1948	1949
	Thousand tons		Dollars		Thousand dollars	
Mo.	213	201	63.30	40.30	13,483	7,456
Va.	10	9	58.70	42.80	587	342
N.C.	282	197	60.30	42.10	17,005	7,368
S.C.	359	233	62.10	42.70	22,294	8,754
Ga.	303	252	66.50	43.80	20,150	9,855
Fla.	6	7	66.90	46.00	401	276
Tenn.	255	261	64.80	42.60	16,524	10,011
Ala.	469	351	60.80	42.30	28,515	13,113
Miss.	912	612	68.40	44.60	62,381	23,861
Ark.	756	674	65.40	42.30	49,442	25,803
La.	302	264	66.70	42.10	20,143	10,104
Okla.	158	246	68.20	42.40	10,776	9,328
Tex.	1,306	2,480	72.10	43.60	94,163	98,100
N.Mex.	95	109	70.00	42.70	6,650	4,484
Ariz.	137	220	68.00	45.20	9,316	9,492
Calif.	376	491	73.20	46.00	27,523	21,160
Other States 3/	6	6	63.50	42.10	402	220
U.S.	5,945	6,613	67.20	43.40	399,755	259,727

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Includes quantity exchanged for meal. 3/ Illinois, Kansas, Kentucky and Nevada.

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FARM DISPOSITION OF COTTONSEED, 1948 AND 1949 CROPS ^{1/}

State	Delivered to Oil Mills						Used		Seed used	
	Sold		Exchanged		Total		on		for planting	
	for meal		for meal		deliveries		farms ^{2/}		crop of ^{3/}	
	1948	1949	1948	1949	1948	1949	1948	1949	1949	1950
	Thousand tons									
Mo.	200	184	0	1	200	185	13	16	10.6	N
Va.	8	7	1	1	9	8	1	1	.6	o
N.C.	247	166	13	9	260	175	22	22	16.1	t
S.C.	294	195	26	10	320	205	39	28	21.8	
Ga.	256	214	19	11	275	225	28	27	23.5	y
Fla.	4	5	1	1	5	6	1	1	.4	o
Tenn.	221	229	9	6	230	235	25	26	14.5	t
Ala.	382	279	33	31	415	310	54	41	25.6	a
Miss.	778	527	32	8	810	535	102	77	51.5	v
Ark.	694	607	11	3	705	610	51	64	47.1	a
La.	267	236	8	4	275	240	27	24	16.2	i
Okla.	137	219	3	1	140	220	18	26	14.8	l
Tex.	1,178	2,239	12	11	1,190	2,250	116	230	115.4	a
N.Mex.	88	105	0	0	88	105	7	4	3.1	b
Ariz.	125	210	0	0	125	210	12	10	4.2	l
Calif.	330	460	0	0	330	460	46	31	15.4	c
Other States ^{4/}	5	5	0	0	5	5	1	1	.3	
U.S.	5,214	5,887	168	97	5,382	5,984	563	629	381.1	

^{1/} 1949 preliminary, 1948 revised.

^{2/} Includes some sales between farms.

^{3/} Included in "Used on Farms" for previous year, but for some States may exceed "Used on Farms" due to inter-state shipments of planting seed.

^{4/} Illinois, Kansas, Kentucky and Nevada.

Quantities of 500 tons or less shown as "0".

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COTTON: ESTIMATED PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL SALES MADE BY
FARMERS EACH MONTH

1948 CROP

State	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Total through July 1/
P e r c e n t													
Mo.	0.	6	7	6	8	6	3	4	1	3	1	0	45
Va.	0	7	17	28	11	3	5	2	1	1	1	0	76
N.C.	0	10	21	20	13	3	1	5	0	1	2	2	78
S.C.	4	17	24	13	5	2	2	0	3	1	1	1	73
Ga.	5	8	15	9	6	4	3	2	2	2	2	1	59
Fla.	36	24	16	7	3	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	91
Tenn.	0	10	27	16	7	5	2	4	1	3	1	1	77
Ala.	3	11	17	12	5	4	4	4	2	3	1	2	68
Miss.	1	8	14	12	7	11	4	4	2	2	1	0	66
Ark.	0	7	16	13	10	8	5	6	4	3	1	1	74
La.	8	18	15	6	6	7	2	7	2	5	1	1	78
Okla.	0	6	21	20	9	5	5	10	5	7	1	0	89
Tex. 2/	14	14	19	17	7	4	2	4	3	6	2	1	93
N.Mex.	0	5	12	19	12	6	3	1	3	1	0	1	63
Ariz.	0	5	10	9	14	15	2	1	0	2	1	1	60
Calif.	0	1	3	14	15	18	8	1	1	1	0	0	62
U.S. 2/	4.4	9.8	16.1	13.3	8.1	7.0	3.4	4.1	2.4	3.3	1.3	0.9	74.1

1949 CROP (Preliminary)

State	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Total through April 3/
P e r c e n t										
Mo.	0	16	25	32	9	3	4	3	2	94
Va.	0	7	32	27	17	8	3	2	1	97
N.C.	0	15	26	28	12	6	2	3	1	93
S.C.	3	22	34	18	5	3	4	1	3	93
Ga.	5	17	23	16	8	4	2	2	3	80
Fla.	30	39	19	6	3	2	0	0	0	99
Tenn.	0	20	36	24	9	1	3	3	1	97
Ala.	4	16	27	23	5	4	4	4	4	91
Miss.	0	12	25	21	9	8	6	4	4	89
Ark.	0	14	23	22	16	6	4	4	3	92
La.	6	24	23	13	11	3	5	7	3	95
Okla.	0	5	17	16	9	6	5	6	8	72
Tex. 2/	11	12	14	14	11	11	4	2	2	81
N.Mex.	0	2	16	22	25	17	4	1	1	88
Ariz.	0	4	14	19	24	11	5	0	4	81
Calif.	0	5	8	22	36	16	4	6	2	99
U.S. 2/	5.0	12.4	19.1	18.7	13.0	8.7	4.0	3.0	2.7	86.6

1/ Excludes unredeemed loan cotton on August 1, 1949.

2/ A small percentage for July is included in August.

3/ Excludes unredeemed loan cotton and cotton still in producers' hands on May 1, 1950.

Percentages of five tenths or less shown as "0".

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COTTON: REDUCTION FROM FIELD YIELD PER ACRE FROM STATED CAUSES,
1948 AND 1949 CROP, COTTON BELT STATES

State	Deficient : Moisture		Excessive : Moisture		Other : Climatic		Plant : Diseases		Boll : Weevil		Other : Insects	
	1948	1949	1948	1949	1948	1949	1948	1949	1948	1949	1948	1949
P e r c e n t												
Mo.	3	1	4	17	3	4	1	1	0	0	2	1
Va.	1	2	1	5	4	1	1	1	2	23	0	2
N.C.	3	2	2	10	2	3	1	1	6	27	1	1
S.C.	3	4	2	11	3	4	1	2	8	29	1	2
Ga.	3	1	2	10	3	2	1	1	13	35	2	2
Fla.	3	4	4	14	4	4	2	1	7	18	1	2
Tenn.	4	1	1	7	6	2	1	1	1	13	1	0
Ala.	3	2	1	10	5	1	1	1	7	31	1	1
Miss.	2	1	1	12	2	2	0	1	4	27	0	1
Ark.	2	1	2	9	4	2	1	1	4	25	1	1
La.	10	2	0	8	4	2	0	1	3	15	1	1
Okla.	11	5	3	2	11	6	1	1	10	8	2	2
Tex.	22	3	0	1	8	5	1	1	4	3	3	3
Av. 13 States	8.8	2.1	1.2	7.2	5.0	3.2	0.8	1.1	5.0	17.5	1.6	1.7

WESTERN IRRIGATED AREA

State	Climatic : Factors		Plant : Diseases		Sucking : Bugs		Other : Insects	
	1948	1949	1948	1949	1948	1949	1948	1949
P e r c e n t								
Texas (Trans-Pecos Area)	21	10	2	5	2	2	2	4
New Mexico	10	18	3	4	1	1	3	4
Ariz.	8	7	1	1	2	3	1	1
Calif.	9	5	5	3	1	1	1	2
Area	9.8	7.9	3.8	3.0	1.2	1.5	1.4	2.3

Percentages of five tenths or less shown as "0".

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COTTON ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION 1944 AND 1945, REVISED

State	Acreage in cultivation		Acreage Harvested		Lint Yield per acre harvested		Production (500 lb. gross wt. bales)	
	July 1							
	1944	1945	1944	1945	1944	1945	1944	1945
	Thousand acres				Pounds		Thous. bales	
Mo.	410	268	405	260	487	331	411	180
Va.	31	19	30	19	460	397	29	16
N.C.	765	587	750	575	454	357	710	428
S.C.	1,069	960	1,060	954	391	334	864	664
Ga.	1,343	1,260	1,335	1,250	292	257	810	669
Fla.	30	25	29	24	219	169	13	8
Tenn.	665	605	660	590	409	379	562	466
Ala.	1,397	1,390	1,393	1,379	347	324	1,006	931
Miss.	2,365	2,286	2,325	2,240	400	334	1,937	1,560
Ark.	1,801	1,554	1,774	1,500	377	333	1,394	1,042
La.	891	819	884	804	338	232	620	387
Okla.	1,529	1,179	1,430	1,085	205	126	634	285
Tex.	7,114	6,029	6,950	5,800	183	149	2,646	1,794
N.Mex.	115	117	114	116	488	436	116	106
Ariz.	145	154	144	154	453	363	136	117
Calif.	303	319	301	317	521	535	327	353
Other States 1/	17	17	17	16	428	268	15	9
U.S.	19,290	17,588	19,651	17,083	298.9	253.3	12,230	9,015
Amer. Egypt 2/	14.7	6.6	14.7	6.6	289	299	8.8	4.1

1946 AND 1947, REVISED

State	Acreage in cultivation		Acreage Harvested		Lint Yield per acre harvested		Production (500 lb. gross wt. bales)	
	July 1							
	1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947
	Thousand acres				Pounds		Thous. bales	
Mo.	345	481	336	472	436	315	307	311
Va.	20	23	20	23	404	369	19	18
N.C.	606	677	600	670	351	323	440	452
S.C.	963	1,055	960	1,050	348	297	697	651
Ga.	1,217	1,282	1,210	1,274	221	246	557	653
Fla.	23	32	22	31	131	165	6	11
Tenn.	625	704	620	700	402	355	519	519
Ala.	1,545	1,505	1,530	1,500	258	298	822	931
Miss.	2,349	2,379	2,220	2,350	226	320	1,047	1,569
Ark.	1,729	2,085	1,700	2,050	361	298	1,281	1,276
La.	833	858	800	850	148	285	247	505
Okla.	1,074	1,155	1,020	1,120	123	141	262	330
Tex.	6,283	8,428	6,000	8,352	134	198	1,669	3,437
N.Mex.	120	169	119	163	573	528	142	179
Ariz.	145	226	145	225	521	497	158	234
Calif.	359	536	358	534	613	693	458	772
Other								
States 1/	15	16	14	16	373	354	11	12
U.S.	18,251	21,611	17,674	21,380	234.5	266.0	8,640	11,860
Amer. Egypt 2/	3.1	1.5	3.1	1.5	294	395	2.5	1.2

1/ Illinois, Kansas and Kentucky. 2/ Included in State and United States total.

Grown principally in Arizona, New Mexico and Texas.

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VALUE OF COTTON AND COTTONSEED PRODUCTION 1944 AND 1945 CROPS, REVISED

State	Season average		Value of production			
	price per lb.					
	received by farm-		Cotton 1/			
	ers for cotton					
	1944	1945	1944	1945	1944	1945
	Cents		Thousand dollars			
Mo.	21.18	21.41	43,537	19,261	51,328	22,800
Va.	20.20	22.55	2,902	1,773	3,510	2,108
N.C.	20.78	23.22	73,794	49,639	88,237	57,891
S.C.	20.97	22.12	90,578	73,428	108,983	85,316
Ga.	21.28	23.06	86,230	77,156	103,190	90,951
Fla.	20.35	21.21	1,343	896	1,629	1,043
Tenn.	20.64	22.21	57,978	51,697	68,887	60,441
Ala.	20.96	22.59	105,436	105,128	125,122	123,076
Miss.	21.99	23.97	213,014	186,994	255,546	220,978
Ark.	20.74	22.45	144,524	116,968	173,428	138,475
La.	20.78	22.60	64,387	43,698	76,937	51,815
Okla.	18.71	20.06	59,286	28,595	72,935	34,811
Tex.	19.74	21.49	261,112	192,736	319,959	232,583
N.Mex.	23.12	24.90	13,386	13,146	15,870	15,588
Ariz.	21.56	23.45	14,631	13,670	17,588	16,301
Calif.	20.89	22.12	34,150	39,087	40,998	46,701
Other States 2/	20.62	21.13	1,569	951	1,875	1,120
U.S.	20.73	22.52	1,267,857	1,014,823	1,526,020	1,201,978

1946 AND 1947 CROPS, REVISED

State	Season average		Value of production			
	price per lb.					
	received by farm-		Cotton 1/			
	ers for cotton					
	1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947
	Cents		Thousand dollars			
Mo.	31.00	30.76	47,516	47,812	56,796	58,874
Va.	32.21	31.99	2,708	2,829	3,242	3,409
N.C.	32.65	32.59	71,751	73,644	84,442	87,875
S.C.	34.13	32.58	113,861	105,972	137,688	126,313
Ga.	34.20	32.67	95,224	106,747	110,276	127,544
Fla.	32.71	31.84	983	1,703	1,091	1,995
Tenn.	32.33	32.53	83,886	84,387	99,118	101,782
Ala.	33.66	32.21	138,392	150,046	159,457	177,632
Miss.	33.22	33.14	173,832	259,908	203,284	313,635
Ark.	32.36	31.23	207,317	199,181	246,047	241,370
La.	33.16	32.43	40,949	81,782	47,325	97,822
Okla.	30.07	30.24	39,389	49,939	48,229	61,927
Tex.	32.16	31.02	268,438	533,098	319,308	654,960
N.Mex.	33.64	35.74	23,919	30,279	28,231	36,960
Ariz.	30.35	30.13	23,923	35,233	29,389	43,510
Calif.	30.94	33.31	70,853	128,569	86,375	157,184
Other States 2/	31.10	31.19	1,727	1,820	2,067	2,215
U.S.	32.64	31.93	1,409,668	1,892,949	1,662,365	2,295,007

1/ Allowance made for loan cotton unredeemed at end of season at season average price of cotton sold by farmers in regular channels.

2/ Illinois, Kansas and Kentucky. The crop marketing year is from August 1 to July 31.

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COTTONSEED: PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1944 AND 1945 CROPS, REVISED

State	Production		Season av. price:		Production		Value	
	: per ton rec'd :		: by farmers :		: Sales to :		oil mills 1/	
	1944	1945	1944	1945	1944	1945	1944	1945
	Thousand tons		Dollars		Thousand tons		Thousand dollars	
Mo.	159	79	49.00	44.80	7,791	3,539	7,105	3,226
Va.	12	7	50.70	47.80	608	335	558	287
N. C.	286	173	50.50	47.70	14,443	8,252	13,382	7,155
S. C.	356	263	51.70	45.20	18,405	11,888	16,027	10,170
Ga.	320	268	53.00	51.40	16,960	13,775	15,105	12,079
Fla.	6	3	47.60	49.10	286	147	238	147
Tenn.	211	177	51.70	49.40	10,909	8,744	9,564	7,657
Ala.	386	354	51.00	50.70	19,686	17,948	17,340	15,717
Miss.	795	640	53.50	53.10	42,532	33,984	35,845	28,408
Ark.	558	431	51.80	49.90	28,904	21,507	26,677	18,712
La.	250	163	50.20	49.80	12,550	8,117	11,295	6,972
Okla.	259	120	52.70	51.80	13,649	6,216	11,858	5,180
Tex.	1,068	749	55.10	53.20	58,847	39,847	52,896	34,048
N. Mex.	46	43	54.00	56.80	2,484	2,442	2,322	2,102
Ariz.	56	49	52.80	53.70	2,957	2,631	2,798	2,470
Calif.	128	141	53.50	54.00	6,848	7,614	6,420	7,020
Other States 2/	6	4	49.70	47.90	304	169	260	140
U. S.	4,902	3,664	52.70	51.10	258,163	187,155	229,690	161,490

1946 AND 1947 CROPS, REVISED

State	Production		Season av. price:		Production		Value	
	: per ton rec'd :		: by farmers :		: Sales to :		oil mills 1/	
	1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947
	Thousand tons		Dollars		Thousand tons		Thousand dollars	
Mo.	132	132	70.30	83.80	9,280	11,062	8,788	10,140
Va.	7	7	76.30	82.80	534	580	458	497
N. C.	177	177	71.70	80.40	12,691	14,231	11,472	12,462
S. C.	281	253	67.00	80.40	18,827	20,341	16,415	17,286
Ga.	223	253	67.50	82.20	15,052	20,797	13,162	18,906
Fla.	2	4	53.80	72.90	108	292	108	292
Tenn.	205	197	74.30	88.30	15,232	17,395	13,746	15,452
Ala.	313	347	67.30	79.50	21,065	27,586	18,508	24,248
Miss.	425	603	69.30	89.10	29,452	53,727	24,602	44,996
Ark.	532	490	72.80	86.10	38,730	42,189	33,852	37,884
La.	103	201	61.90	79.80	6,376	16,040	5,262	13,965
Okla.	109	137	81.10	87.50	8,840	11,988	4,704	10,062
Tex.	694	1,417	73.30	86.00	50,870	121,862	43,614	104,060
N. Mex.	56	71	77.00	94.10	4,312	6,681	3,927	6,399
Ariz.	65	93	84.10	89.00	5,466	8,277	5,130	7,832
Calif.	185	295	83.90	97.00	15,522	28,615	14,011	24,735
Other States 2/	5	5	75.50	85.40	340	395	280	352
U. S.	3,514	4,632	72.00	85.90	252,697	402,058	221,039	349,568

1/ Includes quantity exchanged for meal.

2/ Illinois, Kansas and Kentucky.

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FARM DISPOSITION OF COTTONSEED, 1944 AND 1945 CROPS, REVISED

State	Delivered to Oil Mills						Used		Seed used	
	Sold		Exchanged		Total		on		for planting	
	for meal		for meal		deliveries		farms 1/		crop of: 2/	
	1944	1945	1944	1945	1944	1945	1944	1945	1945	1946
Thousand tons										
No.	144	72	1	0	145	72	14	7	6.9	4.4
Va.	10	4	1	2	11	6	1	1	.5	.4
N.C.	225	123	40	27	265	150	21	23	13.6	12.1
S.C.	273	187	37	38	310	225	46	58	19.2	20.0
Ge.	248	193	37	42	285	235	35	53	17.1	21.4
Fla.	5	3	0	0	5	3	1	0	.4	.4
Tenn.	175	148	10	7	185	155	26	22	12.6	12.5
Ala.	289	245	51	65	340	310	46	44	21.1	23.5
Miss.	633	508	37	27	670	535	125	105	56.7	47.0
Ark.	502	354	13	21	515	375	43	56	28.6	36.0
La.	217	134	8	6	225	140	25	23	13.8	13.3
Okla.	215	92	10	8	225	100	34	30	14.1	12.0
Tex.	907	570	53	70	960	640	108	109	67.5	75.4
N.Mex.	43	37	0	0	43	37	3	6	1.3	1.3
Ariz.	53	46	0	0	53	46	3	3	2.0	1.6
Calif.	120	125	0	5	120	130	8	11	4.6	6.0
Other										
States 3/	5	3	0	0	5	3	1	1	.2	.3
U.S.	4,064	2,844	298	318	4,362	3,162	540	502	280.2	287.6

1946 AND 1947 CROPS, REVISED

State	Delivered to Oil Mills						Used		Seed used	
	Sold		Exchanged		Total		on		for planting	
	for meal		for meal		deliveries		farms 1/		crop of: 2/	
	1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947	1947	1948
Thousand tons										
No.	125	121	0	0	125	121	7	11	8.9	9.9
Va.	5	5	1	1	6	6	1	1	.5	.5
N.C.	128	143	32	12	160	155	17	22	14.1	13.0
S.C.	208	196	37	19	245	215	36	38	18.6	19.7
Ge.	160	212	35	18	195	230	28	23	20.5	20.1
Fla.	2	4	0	0	2	4	0	0	.4	.3
Tenn.	176	168	9	7	185	175	20	22	13.0	12.8
Ala.	231	274	44	31	275	305	38	42	22.9	23.7
Miss.	337	480	18	25	355	505	70	98	45.7	45.2
Ark.	453	431	12	9	465	440	67	50	35.0	35.0
La.	80	170	5	5	85	175	18	26	13.7	14.4
Okla.	89	113	6	2	95	115	14	22	12.9	10.7
Tex.	580	1,198	15	12	595	1,210	99	207	101.1	88.1
N.Mex.	51	68	0	0	51	68	5	3	1.8	2.0
Ariz.	61	88	0	0	61	88	4	5	2.9	2.8
Calif.	166	255	1	0	167	255	18	40	8.6	16.2
Other										
States 3/	4	4	0	0	4	4	1	1	.3	.3
U.S.	2,856	3,930	215	141	3,071	4,071	443	611	320.9	314.7

1/ Includes some sales between farms. 2/ Included in "Used on Farms" for previous year, but some States may exceed "Used on Farms" due to inter-state shipments of planting seed. 3/ Illinois, Kansas and Kentucky.

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